

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF
COPPOLA ET AL.

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FOR: AMIDE DERIVATIVES AND THEIR USE AS INHIBITORS OF
11-BETA-HYDROXYSTEROID DEHYDROGENASE TYPE I

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Response to Restriction Requirement

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed December 5, 2007, the period for responding having been extended three months to April 5, 2008, Applicants submit the following amendments and elections.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 22 of this paper.